

**PM 2.5 MONITORING FORUM
MARCH 16-17, 1998
EXPANDED AGENDA**

Day 1

PARTICIPANTS
Moderator (J.Cook)

I. **Introduction**
 1:00 - 1:15 pm

Mike Scheible
Cynthia Marvin

II. **AQ History**
 1:15 - 2:30 pm

- * Background
- * Network description, data profiles,
 elemental composition, PM2.5 trends
- * Intensive Studies-background
- * Intensive Study-IMS95
- * Intensive Study-PTEP
- * PM2.5 Monitoring Network-IMPROVE
- * Questions (time permitting)

Dr. Karlyn Black
Mike Poore

Tony VanCuren
Karen Magliano
Mel Zeldin
Prof. Tom Cahill

III. **Network Plan Panel**
 2:30 - 5:30 pm

- * Regulation

Bob Pallarino

Break

- * Plan Development

Kasia Turkiewicz
Mel Zeldin
Mike Basso
Dave Jones

- * Public Discussion

Day 2

Moderator (Dr. John Holmes)

I. **Agency Panel**
 8:30 - 10:00 am

U.S. EPA/OAQPS
OEHHA
ARB/RD
SCAQMD
SJVUAPCD
BAAQMD
ARB/TSD
ARB/EO

Dr. Richard Scheffe
Dr. Bart Ostro
Dane Westerdahl
Mel Zeldin
Dave Jones
Avi Okin
Andrew Ranzieri
Dean Saito

Break

II. **Stakeholders Comments**

10:20 - 11:30 am

Cindy Tuck, CCEEB
Cathy Reheis, WSPA
Earl Withycombe, ALA
Audience

III. **Lunch**

11:30 am - 12:45 pm

IV. **Expert Panel**

1:00 - 4:00 pm

Dr. Lowell Ashbaugh, U.C. Davis
Prof. Thomas Cahill, U.C. Davis
Prof. Steve Colome, UCLA
Dr. Robert Farber, Southern California Edison
Dennis Fitz, CE-CERT, U.C. Riverside
Prof. Eric Fujita, Desert Research Institute
Dr. Susanne Hering, Aerosol Dynamics Incorporated
Prof. Mark Jacobson, Stanford University
Dr. Walter John, Particle Science
Fred Lurmann, Sonoma Technology Incorporated
Dr. Pradeep Saxena, EPRI

Agreed to provide written comments (unable to attend)
Prof. Glen Cass, California Institute of Technology
Prof. Judy Chow, Desert Research Institute
Prof. John Watson, Desert Research Institute

**PM2.5 EXPERT PANEL
ROUNDTABLE TOPICS**

Dr. John Holmes - Moderator
Tuesday, March 17, 1998
1:00 - 4:00 pm

1:00-1:30 pm

- I. ***General Comments*** (including PM2.5 Network Plan)
Lead-off Panel Members: Show of hands

1:30-2:00

- II. Types of Air Quality Information Needed for:
Health Studies
Lead-off Panel Members: Colome, Cahill, Lurmann

2:00-2:30

- III. Types of Air Quality Information Needed for:
Public Notification and Forecasting
Lead-off Panel Members: Farber, Ashbaugh

2:30-3:00

- IV. Types of Air Quality Information Needed for:
Special Studies versus Standing Air Monitoring Networks
Lead-off Panel Members: Hering, John, Fitz, Ashbaugh

3:00-3:30

- V. Types of Air Quality Information Needed for:
Data Analysis (designations, atmospheric processes, transport assessments, trends)
Lead-off Panel Members: Cahill, Fujita, Saxena

3:30-4:00

- VI. Types of Air Quality Information Needed for:
Modeling and Emission Inventory Assessment
Lead-off Panel Members: Jacobson, Lurmann, Saxena, Fujita

A. The above topics should include a discussion of the following (when relevant):

Mass Measurement
Sampling frequency
Real-time mass measurement
Upper-air measurement
PM Speciation
Types of species needed
Frequency of speciation
Real-time speciation
Upper-air measurements
Measurement Accuracy
Meteorological Data
Surface measurements
Upper-air measurements

B. Items to consider in establishing priorities for monitoring:

- Expanded network for a few parameters *versus* limited network of expanded parameters
- Intense ‘Supersite’ monitoring *versus* augmentations at decentralized sites
- 24-hour-average *versus* hourly average samples

- High-concentration *versus* population-oriented siting
- Background/transport *versus* population-oriented siting
- Regulatory compliance *versus* health-oriented and other sites
- Fixed site *versus* personal exposure monitors

- Automated *versus* filter-based measurement
- Mass surrogates *versus* gravimetric analyses
- Mass *versus* species measurements
- Size distribution *versus* mass measurements
- Research-grade *versus* approved samplers
- Saturation *versus* fixed-site sampling
- Seasonal *versus* year-around monitoring

- PM10 *versus* PM2.5 mass measurements
- Visibility *versus* mass measurements
- Source measurements of precursor gases *versus* ambient particle measurements
- Air quality *versus* meteorological measurement